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PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

Dear Sir:

Please amend the above referenced application as follows. Claims 11-12 and 18-20 are withdrawn without prejudice and may be pursued in a divisional application.

IN THE CLAIMS

The following is a clean set of the entire set of claims. In accordance with 37 C.F.R. § 1.121(c)(1)(ii), a marked-up version of the amended claims is included in Appendix A.

1. A clip to attach a towel to a golf club, the clip comprising:
  - a body with a first aperture adapted to receive a portion of a golf club and a second aperture adapted to receive a towel.
2. The clip of claim 1, further comprising:
  - a fastener adapted to be inserted at least partially through the second aperture for fastening the towel to the clip.
3. The clip of claim 2, wherein said fastener is removably fastened.
4. The clip of claim 2, wherein said fastener is a rivet.
5. The clip of claim 2, further comprising a towel inserted into said second aperture, said towel fastened to said clip by said fastener.

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